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Applicants : Larry B. Gray Conf. No. : 2428  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME AND AUTHORIZATION TO CHARGE  
DEPOSIT ACCOUNT THEREFOR

Dear Sir:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for one (1) month from March 21, 2011 to April 21, 2011, the passing of one month after filing an Appeal Brief dated March 1, 2011 which included an extension until March 21, 2011.

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